



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

CR-101 (June 2004)
(Implements RCW 34.05.310)
Do **NOT** use for expedited rule making

Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

Subject of possible rule making: WAC 220-69-240 Duties of commercial purchasers and receivers.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: 77.04.020, 77.12.045, 77.12.047

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: The department wants to amend WAC 220-69-240 to ensure that the rules for commercial fish and shellfish purchasers and receivers are consistent with resource conservation and fishery sustainability.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: N/A

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- ☐ Negotiated rule making
- ☐ Pilot rule making
- ☒ Agency study
- ☐ Other (describe)

How interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication:

(List names, addresses, telephone, fax numbers, and e-mail of persons to contact; describe meetings, other exchanges of information, etc.)

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Contact by November 15, 2011. Expected proposal filing on or after November 23, 2011.

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